

AN ACT

relating to specialty license plates issued to retired members of the United States armed forces.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 504.303, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Subsections (b) and (c) to read as follows:

(b) The department shall include the word "Retired" for license plates issued to retired members of the United States armed forces who have completed 20 or more years of satisfactory federal service.

(c) A letter from any branch of the military under the jurisdiction of the United States Department of Defense or the United States Department of Homeland Security stating that a retired member has 20 or more years of satisfactory federal service is satisfactory proof of eligibility.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1376 passed the Senate on April 4, 2013, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; and that the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 23, 2013, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 1376 passed the House, with amendment, on May 20, 2013, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 0, two present not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

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Date

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Governor